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THE NAME OF TYRONE BOOZE HAS BEEN DELETED FROM THE REGISTER OF SPORTS CONTACTS WITH SOUTH AFRICA

The Special Committee against Apartheid has decided to delete the name of Tyrone Booze, a boxer from the United States, from the Register of Sports Contacts with South Africa.

Mr. Booze, in his 29 January letter to the Special Committee states:

"On one occasion I fought a boxing match in South Africa ....

"I should like to place on record the fact that I entirely disagree with the South Africa apartheid policy with regard to blacks. As I am black myself I naturally believe in equal rights for black and white races.

".... I should like to assure you that I would never fight in that country again until such time as their apartheid policies changed ....

"If I had been informed and been made aware of the circumstances which exist in South Africa I would have not participated in that boxing match. I now gladly join the growing numbers who are against apartheid. ....."

(Sgd.) Tyrone Booze